

SPECIAL NOTICE

TO ADVERTISERS!

BUSINESS MEN would do well to recollect that the best advertisement is the Fayetteville Observer.

to the social and business circles of Lincoln county, is

MORE than DOUBLE

That of any other Paper!

Advertising rates as cheap as any. -C-

Local Notices.

STANCES

For Magistrates and Constables, just printed and for sale at this Office.

Job Printing

Of every description, neatly done at this Office, on reasonable terms. All work delivered when promised. Try us.

Persons purchasing articles advertised in these columns, will please mention that they saw the advertisement in the FAYETTEVILLE OBSERVER.

Advertisements must be handed into the Office by TUESDAY MORNING, to insure an appearance in the following Paper.

Advertisements are inserted in the order in which they are handed in.

THE MAMMOTH CAVE.

Extract from a Private Letter.

"We groped about for many hours in this wonderful place. I never saw anything like it before. The fountains of nature displayed here are very strange, and strike the beholder with awe. But the air in some parts of the cave is close and stifling, and when we came out I found myself saddled with a terrible fever, which entirely prostrated me. The physician had never seen a case like it before, and no remedy he prescribed seemed to do the least good. My life was despaired of. Mrs. Withen, with whom I was residing had in the house a bottle of PLANTATION BITTERS, and she insisted I should try it. For she said she knew it to be a certain cure in all cases of fever, debility, ague, dyspepsia, &c. I had but little faith, but finally consented to try it as a last resort. In less than three hours after the first dose my fever left me; in two days I was sitting up, and before Saturday I was as well as ever. I tell you all this that you may know how to act in any case of fever, or any similar disease. I firmly believe the PLANTATION BITTERS saved my life. In my next I will tell you about the Cave in detail."

Mammoth Water.—Superior to the best imported German Cologne, and sold at half the price.

A genuine lover of flowers is not a rarity in this country; but a man who, cultivating flowers as a profession, seeks "to scatter choice flowers all over our country," and hence insists upon supplying every journalist in the land with "a nice selection of seeds," without money or price, is certainly one in a million. Such a gentleman, however, is Jas. Vick, the celebrated seedsman of Rochester, N. Y., whose advertisement will be found in another column. Having been years ago a journalist and a publisher himself, he is still animated by an esprit de corps that yearns to surround with an atmosphere of roses those who continue in the newspaper business. He is a floral philanthropist.

Mr. Vick has our thanks for about fifty packages of choice seeds.

Wanted.

5000 bushels Corn,

500 do Dried Fruit,

100 do Chestnuts,

100 do Goober Peas,

2000 lbs Pork,

2000 do Bacon,

1000 do Flour,

20000 do Rags,

500 do Butter,

100 do Feathers,

100 do Beeswax,

500 doz Eggs,

All the Beaver, Mink, Muskrat,

Wildcat, Skunk, Fox, and Raccoon

Skins we can get. The above named articles will be taken at their highest cash price in exchange for goods, at

MURRAY & MORGAN'S.

"Die Modenwelt," published by S. T. Taylor, 391 Canal street, New York city, at \$3 a year, has no superior as a fashion monthly. The number for February contains a long list of illustrations and patterns, besides a large colored steel engraving.

Smith & Blake have just received a large and complete assortment of Landreth's celebrated warranted garden seeds. Give them a call.

Chancery Court begun last Tuesday, Chancellor Steele presiding.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following transfers of real estate have been registered since our last, in the County Court Clerk's office:

S. E. Keith to H. H. Colter, 185 acres in 6th dis, \$5,550.

H. H. Colter to J. M. & M. M. Doline, 94 acres in 18th dis, \$2,820.

I. R. Nelson, executor of James Nelson, to D. A. Gilbert, 104 acres in 10th district, \$2,608.

H. H. Colter to M. J. Ashby, 91 acres in 6th dis, \$2,730.

Mary J. Ashby to Rebecca A. Keith, 90 acres in 6th dis, deed of gift.

Wilburn Renegar to Nathaniel Hobbs, 85 acres in 18th dis, \$1,760.

D. C. Hall, trustee of H. S. Commons, to Josh. Hobbs and Nat. Hobbs, 70 acres in 18th dis, \$1,760.

James C. Kelso to F. M. Ventress, 219 acres in 21st dis, \$2,455.

J. E. Gore to John Adkins, 140 acres in 1st dis, \$1,600.

Wm. Goosby to S. J. McLemore, 77 acres in 1st dis, \$1,100.

Mary J. Hedgepeth to Sarah J. and A. B. Johnson, interest in land in 19th dis, \$1,500.

J. H. Hardin to G. S. Wright, 95 acres in 25th dis, \$600.

Does advertising pay?

A gentleman whose business was not pressing him, concluded a few weeks since to test the matter practically. Accordingly he began advertising in the OBSERVER, and a day or two since he informed us that the publication had largely increased his business, so that now his whole time was required, whereas before he began advertising in this paper, he was compelled frequently to employ his time as best he could while waiting for custom.

We have been furnished with the following list of persons, in addition to those published last week, who have applied for policies in the St. Louis Mutual Life Insurance Company:—Rev. C. L. Randolph, Mrs. Margaret Randolph, Col. C. C. McKinney, Fletcher W. Buchanan, Jacob Gillespie, Rev. David L. Mitchell, Robert C. Rives, A. J. McCollum, Timothy D. Hill, Dr. George W. Jones and H. S. Hudson.

Blanks for magistrates, constables, etc., printed at the OBSERVER office on the best quality of paper, at only one dollar per quire; and all other kinds of plain and fancy printing at equally reduced rates. Satisfaction guaranteed.

See new advertisements "300 a Month," "Small Fruit Instructor," "Portable Steam Engines," "Organs," etc., in this paper.

Tailoring.—If you want a fit go to Fred Fleming, next door North of Jack Toon's. Cash only.

From the Huntsville, Ala., Independent.

"The Great Southern Preparation" are not patent medicines, composed of mysterious roots and herbs found in remote and obscure corners of the earth, but are made of pure and fresh drugs, the efficacy of which have been thoroughly tested by the medical faculty. The rapid sale and curative properties of these medicines are the best guarantees that can be offered in their favor. Their English Female Bitters is having a tremendous sale in this country and all are delighted with its effects. C. F. Morgan, editor of the Huntsville (Miss.) Chronicle, says: "The English Female Bitters is highly recommended by the medical faculty at this place and throughout the country." See advertisement.

The Inclement Season.

And its effects on the Weak and Feeble.—The drafts which searching cold, make upon the vital powers of the debilitated and delicate, are not less severe than the direct heat of the sun, and the temperature of over-heated rooms and offices, at this season, and the frigidity of the outer air, is a fruitful source of sickness. To fortify the body against the evil consequences of the sudden alternations of heat and cold referred to, the vital organization should be strengthened and endowed with extra resistant power by the use of a wholesome invigorant, and of all preparations for this purpose, (whether embraced in the regular pharmacopoeia, or advertised in the public journals) there is none that will compare in purity and excellence with HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS. Acting directly upon the organs which convert the food into the fuel of life, the preparation imparts to it a tone and vigor which is communicated to every fibre of the frame. The digestive function being accelerated by its tonic operation, the liver regulated by its anti-bilious properties, and the waste matter of the system carried off promptly by its mild aperient action, the whole organization will necessarily be in the best possible condition to meet the shocks of winter and the sudden changes of temperature. The weak and delicate, especially cannot counter these winter visitations with safety, unless their tender systems are strengthened and braced by artificial means. Every liquor sold as a staple of trade is adulterated, and, were it otherwise, pure alcohol is simply a temporary excitant, which, when its first effects have subsided, leaves the physical powers (and the mind as well), in a worse condition than before. HOSTETTER'S BITTERS, on the other hand, contains the essential properties of the most valuable tonic and aperient roots, barks and herbs, and their active principle is the mildness, less exciting and most innocuous of all diffusive stimulants.

We ask attention to the card of Fayetteville Female Academy, in this paper. It is to be a school of eminence and character, and will be conducted on common-sense principles. We feel justified in presenting it to parents and guardians, as being entirely worthy of their support. The faculty bring long and successful experience to the school-room, and will devote their best energies to making the school a creditable institution.

The fair weather we have recently enjoyed may tempt many people to fancy that the winter is already over. Foolish thought! We shall have many a specimen of bleak and severe weather.

The Markets—Latest Dates

FAYETTEVILLE PRICES CURRENT.

OBSERVER OFFICE, Fayetteville, February 11, 1869.

ARTICLES FROM TO

Apples, dried, 1/2 bush... 1 25 1 50

Bulk Meats—Shoulders, 1/2 lb... 12 13

Hams... 15 17

Sides... 15 17

Butter... 15 17

Candles, Star, 1/2 lb... 20 25

Mould... 18 20

Cotton... 25 26

Cotton Yarns—700/500... 20 25

Corn, 1/2 bush... 55 60

Corn Meal, 1/2 bush... 50 60

Coffee... 22 25

Cheese... 22 25

Chickens, 1/2 doz... 1 50 1 80

Eggs... 10 12

Flour, 1/2 100 lbs... 5 00 6 00

Honey, strained, 1/2 gal... 2 00

Lard, new, 1/2 lb... 17 20

Mackerel, each... 10 12 1/2

Molasses, 1/2 gal... 75 1 25

Oats, 1/2 bush... 40 50

Potatoes, Irish, 1/2 bush... 50

Dried Peaches, peeled, 1/2 lb... 15

Rice, 1/2 bush... 16 1/2

Rye, 1/2 bush... 90 1 00

Salt, 1/2 bl... 5 25 5 50

Sugar... 15 20

Turkey, each... 1 50 1 00

Wheat, 1/2 bush, new... 1 40 1 75

Wood, 1/2 load... 1 75 2 00

Nashville, Tenn.

Gold—134 1/2 buying, and 135 1/2 selling.

Tennessee bonds sold in New York at 67 1/2.

Bank of Tennessee, 35c.

Bulk Meats—Shoulders, 1/2 lb; clear sides, 17 1/2; country hams, 16 1/2; 17.

Candles—Star, 1/2 lb; English, 17 1/2; 18.

Cheese—Factory 21 1/2; English Dairy 21.

Coffee—Rio 20 1/2; 25; Leguira 26 1/2; Java 37 1/2.

Corn Meal—65/70c.

Cotton—20 1/2; 27 1/2—steady and strong.

Corn—from wagon, 65; depot, 75; 78.

Dried Fruit—Peaches, unpeeled, 10 1/2; 15c.

Eggs—15 per doz.

Feathers—60/65 for prime.

Flour—Common to choice superfine 7 00 to 8 00; extra 10 00 to 11 00—per bush.

Lard—choice, 19 1/2; 20c.

Molasses—Golden Syrup 65 1/2; 1 15; New Orleans refined, 75c/80c.

Oats—60/65c.

Potatoes—Sweet, 75c/80c; 1 10.

Rye—51 1/2.

Sugar—New Orleans, 11 1/2; 12 1/2; Demerara, 12 1/2; 15 1/2; coffee and crushed 15 1/2; 17.

Salt—\$3 90 for 7 bush barrels.

Seeds—Clover, \$1; Timothy, \$1; Blue Grass (cleaned), \$3; Hords Grass, \$2; Orchard Grass, \$2.

Wheat—\$1 70 to \$2.

Huntsville, Ala.

Cotton, 23 1/2 to 25 1/2; Butter 30 1/2 to 35.

Chickens 25 1/2 to 35; Eggs 12 1/2 to 16; Corn Meal 75 to 85; Corn 50 to 60; Flour 60 1/2 to 65; Sweet Potatoes 50 to 60; Irish Potatoes 25 to 30; Bacon 16 to 20; Lard 22 1/2 to 25.

Atlanta, Georgia.

[Reported weekly for the OBSERVER by H. T. Cox & Bro.]

Corn, 1/2 10 to 11; Wheat, white, \$2 10 to 2 20; Tinned, \$2 00 to 2 10; G. R. ad, \$2 10 to 2 20; Oats, 85c; Rye, nominal; Flour, 1/2 sack of 95 lbs—superfine, 4 50 to 4 75; extra, \$5 25; family, \$5 75 to \$6; Bulk Meats—shoulders, 14 1/2 to 15; clear sides, 16 1/2 to 17; hams, 17 to 17 1/2; Lard, 19; Bacon, 20; Strips, 22; Butter, 20 to 25; Eggs, 13 to 14; Beans, 35 to 38; Onions, \$1 25 to 1 50; Tinned, Irish Potatoes, 50 to 51 1/2; Field Peas—red, 1 05; white, 1 10; Chestnuts, \$3 50; Meal—1/2 sack, \$2 50 to 3; Virginia Salt, per sack, \$2 30 to 2 40; Hops, 16 to 18; Shirts, 14 to 15; Cotton Yarns, \$2 00 per bush.

Louisville, Ky.

Shoulders 29; Lard 20 1/2; Bulk Meats—shoulders 14; sides 17 to 17 1/2; Superfine Flour, per bush, \$5 75 to 6 25.

Strays Taken Up.

1st. Kind of Animal taken—2nd. Color—3rd. Description—4th. Age—5th. Poster's name—6th. Time and Place of arrest—7th. Valuation.

LINCOLN COUNTY.

Bull Yearling, pale red, little white on end of tail, crop off left ear and hole in right, 1 year old past; Jacob Barner, 22nd district, Jan 12—\$3 50.

Star, dark brindle, swallow fork in right ear, 1 year old, and under bit in left about 4 years old; Elijah Bradford, 22nd district, Jan 12—\$10.

A man in St. Louis took it into his head that everybody wanted to poison him, and he insisted that his wife should taste of every dish before he ate it. She complied cheerfully till he got sick and wanted her to taste his pills.

On Tuesday a wealthy Bartholomew county (Ind.) farmer eloped with a female inmate of the county asylum.

Marriages.

MARRIED: Marriage licenses have been issued to the following parties since our last: R. R. Templeton and Francis O. Walker. Thomas Sullivan and Jane McTee. Price M. Snoddy and Maggie J. Reed.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

VICK'S FLORAL GUIDE FOR 1869.

The first edition of One Hundred Thousand and of Vick's Illustrated Catalogue of Seeds and Guide to the Flower Garden is now published. It makes a work of 100 pages, beautifully illustrated, with about 150 Fine Engravings of Flowers and Vegetables and an Elegant Colored Plate.

A BOUQUET OF FLOWERS.

It is the most beautiful, as well as the most instructive Floral Guide published, giving plain and thorough directions for the Culture of Flowers and Vegetables.

The Floral Guide is published for the benefit of my customers, to whom it is sent free without application, but will be forwarded to all who apply by mail, for Ten Cents, which is not half the cost. Address: JAMES VICK, Rochester, N. Y.

Price & Thompson,

(Successors to PRICE & COLE)

DEALERS IN

STAPLE AND FANCY

GROCERIES,

IRON, NAILS, CASTINGS, CHAINS,

Boots, Shoes, &c.

FAYETTEVILLE, TENN.

HAVE now in store a superior stock of Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, Syr, Vinegar, Tobacco, Cigars, Teas, Confectionery, Oysters, Cheese, Soda, Spice, Dye-Stuffs, Pepper, Salt—in short, all articles usually kept in a first-class Grocery house. Oysters prepared and served ready for use. feb-11

GIVE US A TRIAL!

THRESHING MACHINES, &c.

OUR STEAM AND HORSE-POWER Threshing Machines and Portable Engines are taking the lead throughout the West. Send for Circulars.

YEO & SHOEMAKER, RICHMOND, IND.

Five Cents Reward!

RANAWAY from the subscriber, on North Creek, a bound white boy named James Jones, aged about 20 years, about 5 feet 11 inches high, weighs about 160 lbs, and light complexion. The above reward will be paid for his delivery to me. jan-28-3d W. E. MOORE.

LANDRETH'S WARRANTED GARDEN SEEDS.

JUST received, a full supply of these celebrated seeds. jan-7-4m DIEMER & MILES.

DR. WHITTIER

A REGULAR GRADUATE of Medicine, as diploma at office will show, has been long engaged in the treatment of Venereal, Syphilitic and Private Diseases, than any other physician in St. Louis. Syphilis, Gonorrhea, Gleet, Stricture, Orchitis, Hernia, and Rupture; all Urinary Diseases and Syphilitic Mercurial Affections of the throat, Skin on Bones, are treated with unparalleled success.

Spermatorrhea, Sexual Debility and Impotency as the result of self-abuse in youth, sexual excess in mature years, or other causes, and which produce the following effects, as nocturnal emissions, weakness, debility, disarrangement of sight, confusion of ideas, evil forebodings, aversion to society of females, loss of memory and sexual power and rendering marriage impracticable as permanently curable.

Dr. Whittier publishes a MEDICAL PAMPHLET relating to venereal diseases and the disastrous and varied consequences of self-abuse that will be sent to any address in a sealed envelope for two stamps. Many physicians introduce patients to the doctor after reading his medical pamphlet. Communication confidential. A friendly talk will be given—No. 617 St. Charles street, St. Louis, Mo. Hours 9 a. m. to 7 p. m. Sundays 12 to 2 p. m.

Handbills.

WE have extensive facilities for printing sized Handbill or Poster Terms moderate.

OBSERVER OFFICE, Fayetteville.

SCHOOLS.

Fayetteville Female Academy.

THIS Old Institution of Learning is now, through the liberality of the citizens of Fayetteville, in process of thorough repair, and will be opened, for the reception of pupils, under the superintendency of PROF. W. MOONEY, who will be assisted by Mrs. M. A. McEwen in the Literary, and Mrs. M. A. Miles, in the Musical Department.

The Corps of Teachers will be increased to meet the demands of the patronage.

Prof. Mooney is an Educator of long experience and established reputation. The School will be opened on the first Monday in March next.

The Trustees express the hope that Parents and Guardians of young Ladies will extend their patronage to this Institution, believing that their training, moral and intellectual, will be equal to any in the Country.

Terms of Tuition.

Payable one-half in advance, and the balance at middle of the Session.

Primary, (per session of 16 weeks)... \$8 00

Intermediate, do do... 12 00

Collegiate, do do... 16 00

Incidental expenses in advance... 80

Instruction in Music, per month... 5 00

Use of Piano, do do... 1 00

Feb. 4 JNO. M. BRIGIT, Pres.

FAYETTE ACADEMY

THE Trustees of FAYETTE ACADEMY take pleasure in announcing to the friends of education in Tennessee, that they have secured Professors A. C. & J. M. CARNES to take charge of this Institution. A. C. CARNES was formerly Prof. of Mathematics in East Tenn. University at Knoxville, Tenn. J. M. CARNES was late Prof. of Ancient and Modern Languages in Manchester College at Manchester, Tenn. Both these gentlemen are native Tennesseans, and are well known as educators in this State.

The buildings are undergoing thorough repairs, and are eligible and commodious.

The Trustees assure the public that the most assiduous efforts will be made by the Faculty to elevate the standard of Taste, Scholarship, and Morals among the youth committed to their care; and that no institution in the State affords superior advantages at the same price.

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A. C. CARNES, A. M., Principal and Professor of Mathematics and Sciences.

J. M. CARNES, A. B., Professor of Ancient and Modern Languages.

Presidents of Female Department.

TERMS.

Payable one-half in advance, and one-half at the middle of the Term.

Primary, (per term of twenty weeks)... \$12 00

Intermediate, do do do... 15 00

Collegiate, do do do... 20 00

Incidental expenses, payable in advance, per term... 1 00

The Spring Term commences on the Second Monday (8th day) of Feb., 1869.

For further information address the Principal of the School, or the undersigned.

D. P. SHACKLEFORD, Secretary Board of Trustees.

Fayetteville, Tenn., Jan. 28, 1869.

R. L. Gaines & Co.

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STAPLE and FANCY GROCERIES.